

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 1-20 and rewrite in clean form as follows:

~~21.~~ A package of disposable transparent covers individually formed of a predetermined size for protecting the sterility of a keyboard of a computer, each said cover comprising at least one transparent sheet of pliable plastic film of a predetermined size to protect an entire upper surface of the keyboard, said sheet inhibiting any unintentional contact between a keyboard and fingers of an operator while not impeding an operator's ability to manipulate a keyboard in a speedy and accurate manner.

~~22.~~ The package of Claim 21 wherein said sheet is rectangular, having along top edge portion, a long bottom edge portion, and two short side edge portions, a strip of adhesive along at least said top edge portion adapted to be attached along a top edge portion of a keyboard.

~~23.~~ The package of Claim 21 wherein said sheet includes top and bottom edge portions, a pair of spaced strips of adhesive along respective said top and bottom edge portions adapted to be attached along elongated upper and lower portions of an upper surface of a keyboard.

~~24.~~ The package of Claim 21 wherein said sheet protects entire upper and bottom surfaces of a keyboard to maintain a keyboard sterile.

~~25.~~ The package of Claim 21 wherein said sheet is formed with an upper member and a lower member, said upper member being adapted to overlies an upper surface of a keyboard and said lower member being adapted to underlie a bottom surface of a keyboard.

26. The package of Claim 24 wherein said sheet is formed as an envelope with an elongated opening along an elongated top edge portion.

27. The package of Claim 24 wherein said sheet is formed as an envelope with an elongated opening adjacent one corner and extending along one side edge portion and generally to a midpoint along a top edge portion.

28. The package of Claim 21 wherein each said cover is formed from two identical flat sheets of plastic film, each sheet having an elongated top edge portion, an elongated bottom edge portion, and two short side edge portions, said sheets being fastened together along said bottom edge portion of each said sheet so as to envelop entire upper and bottom surfaces of a keyboard.

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29. The package of Claim 28 wherein said two identical flat sheets of said plastic film are fastened together along each of said side edge portions with one long opening along said top edge portion to permit a keyboard to be inserted therein so as to cover both upper and bottom surfaces of a keyboard.

30. The package of Claim 28 wherein said two identical flat sheets of plastic film are also fastened together along said elongated top edge portion so as to form an elongated envelope having at least one of said short side edge portions open.

31. The package of Claim 30 wherein said top edge portions of said sheets adjacent said at least one open short side edge portions is open to generally its midpoint.

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32. A disposable transparent cover individually formed and having a predetermined size for protecting the sterility of a keyboard of a computer, comprising at least one transparent sheet of pliable plastic film of a predetermined size to protect an entire upper surface of a keyboard, said sheet inhibiting any unintentional contact between a keyboard and fingers of an operator of a keyboard while not impeding an operator's ability to manipulate a keyboard in a speedy and accurate manner.

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33. The cover of Claim 32 wherein said sheet is rectangular, having a long top edge portion, a long bottom edge portion, and two short side edge portions, a strip of adhesive along at least said top edge portion adapted to be attached along a top edge portion of a keyboard.

34. The cover of Claim 32 wherein said sheet includes top and bottom edge portions, a pair of spaced strips of adhesive along respective said top and bottom edge portions adapted to be attached along elongated upper and lower portions of an upper surface of a keyboard.

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35. The cover of Claim 32 wherein said sheet protects entire upper and bottom surfaces of a keyboard to maintain a keyboard sterile.

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36. The cover of Claim 32 wherein said sheet is formed with an upper member and a lower member, said upper member being adapted to overlies an upper surface of a keyboard and said lower member being adapted to underlie a bottom surface of a keyboard.

37. The cover of Claim 35 wherein said sheet is formed as an envelope with an elongated opening along an elongated top edge portion.

38. The cover of Claim 35 wherein said sheet is formed as an envelope with an elongated opening adjacent one corner and extending along one side edge portion and generally to a midpoint along a top edge portion.

39. The cover of Claim 32 wherein said cover is formed from two identical flat sheets of plastic film, each sheet having an elongated top edge portion, an elongated bottom edge portion, and two short side edge portions, said sheets being fastened together along said bottom edge portion of each said sheet so as to envelop entire upper and bottom surfaces of a keyboard.

40. The cover of Claim 39 wherein said two identical flat sheets of plastic film are fastened together along each of said side edge portions with one long opening along said top edge portion to permit a keyboard to be inserted therein so as to cover both upper and bottom surfaces of a keyboard.

REMARKS

1. Formal drawings will be submitted after allowance.
2. Numeral 33 has been added to the drawing by the Proposed Drawing Correction submitted herewith.
3. The specification has been amended to provide clear reference between drawings and specification.
4. The drawings have been corrected to clearly designate the subject matter of claims 7, 11 and 18, without the introduction of any new matter.